



St Peter's Church, Phibsborough

Parish Newsletter

Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time
21 August 2016



Do I Know You?

What a frightening thought, that the master would reject us and deny that he knows us. To think that we would have done our best to live a good life, only to meet him at the narrow door and be denied admission!

Yet many of us think we have it all sussed. Like those in today's Gospel, we think we are surely safe. But there is a certain complacency in the voices that plead to the master 'We once ate and drank in your company; you taught in our streets' – as if it is enough to have a passing acquaintance with Jesus. Those are not the words of someone who really knows the master and deserves to enter his house. We may think we won't be denied eternal salvation because we say our prayers, go to Mass every Sunday, and try our best to live good and holy lives. Wouldn't it be disappointing after all that if we turned into someone that Christ does not recognise?

There are elements in all our lives that Christ would not recognise. What are the areas in our lives that need to change, in order that he might invite us in?

Triona Doherty
(taken from *'Intercom'*)

Mass Times

Sunday

Saturday vigil 6.30pm, Sunday 8.00am, 10.00am, 11.30am, 2.15pm (African Mass, 1st Sunday of each month), 4.00pm (Indian Mass, 2nd Sunday of each month) & 6.30pm

Monday - Friday

10.30am (& Monday at 7.00pm followed by Novena, except Bank Holidays)

Holy Days

10.30am & 6.30pm

Confessions

Saturday immediately following the 10.30am Mass and at the Parish Office by request



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Monday Novena

"O Mary, conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to thee."

The Miraculous Medal Novena continues each Monday evening at 7.00pm. All are encouraged to attend.

Join us as we Pray for Vocations

On Thursday's after Mass the Vincentian Community here in St Peter's invite you to join with them in prayer before the Blessed Sacrament for vocations to the Vincentian Community in Ireland.

Cabra Library - August

Acquired Hearing Loss, Mon 15, 10.00am - 1.00pm,

Tues 16, 2.00pm - 4.30pm & Wed 17, 2.00pm - 4.30pm

Assistive Technology, Fri 19, 2.00pm - 4.30pm

Tinnitus, Mon 22, 10.00am - 1.00pm & 2.00pm - 4.00pm

Free Hearing Health Check, Fri 26, 10.00am - 1.00pm & 2.00pm - 4.00pm

Heritage Week - 'Working on the Railway, The Great Southern & Western Railway in Dublin, 1900-1925'

A Talk by Mary Muldowney - Thurs 25 at 6.30pm

This event is free but booking is required, tel: 869 1414.

Legion of Mary

Meetings take place on Monday's and Wednesday's from 7.00pm in the

Frank Duff Room

(entrance via Parish Office)

Monday - *Our Lady of All Nations*

Wednesday - *Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament*



In Loving Memory

Please pray for the repose of the souls of all those who died recently especially John (J.J.) Birmingham (Connaught Street) and Frances Byrne (NCR). Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them, may they rest in peace. Amen.

St Peter's Golf Classic Friday, 23rd September 2016



Lisheen Springs Golf Club Brittas, Co. Dublin

Variety of ways you may wish to support this event

- ◆ Enter a team or sponsor a team: €400 per team of four
- ◆ Sponsor a T-Box or Golf Hole: €100
- ◆ Make a donation to St Peter's Church Golf Classic
- ◆ Donation or sponsorship of Golf Prize or Raffle Prize

All funds raised will help to resurface the forecourt at the main entrance to the Church. We are planning to lay down a new and more attractive surface than the concrete paving that has served us so well for many years.

Thank you for your support

For more information contact Marion on (01) 810 2575 or email: marion.mccormack@stpetersphibsboro.ie

Carer of the Year Awards

If you know a Carer you think should be recognised, then please nominate them. There are two Categories: **Carer of the Year** and **Young Carer of the Year**.

Ways to nominate are: on-line by completing the nomination form at: www.familycarers.ie, email: jmillman@familycarers.ie. Or tel: 053 914 0511 to request a nomination form.

Final Renovation Works

The final works on the corridor and porch area that leads from the Cabra Road entrance up to the Parish Office commences this week. As a result, the entrance to the Parish Office will be closed on certain days and access will only be from the Church (beside the Sacristy). We apologise for any inconvenience caused during these works.



Mass Cards Online

It is now possible to obtain a Signed Mass Card from St Peter's, online. 100% of all offerings received for Signed Mass Cards go directly to us here at St Peter's Church. All cards are signed by one of our Priests and mass requests will be acknowledged with a reply to your emails with details of when masses will be celebrated. All you have to do is go to our NEW WEBSITE at: www.stpetersphibsboro.ie and click on the relevant im-



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St Peter's Parish

Vincentian Pilgrimage to Knock

Saturday, 10 September 2016

Cost: €50 per person

(includes coach, morning coffee & evening meal)



Bookings at the Parish Office Monday to Friday

10.00am - 12.00pm

Tel: (01) 838 9708

Bookings commence on Monday 18 July

**Coach leaves St Peter's at 7.45am sharp and
returns to St Peter's at approx. 10.00pm**

Vincentian Parish Pilgrimage to Knock

Our annual pilgrimage to Knock this year takes place on

Saturday, 10 September 2016

Join us and encourage others, as we pilgrimage to Knock to honour our Blessed Lady and give thanks for the many blessings we receive

Programme for the Day

7.45 am (sharp)	Coach leaves St Peter's
9.15 am approx.	Morning Coffee - Longford Arms Hotel
2.00 pm	Stations of the Cross and Rosary
2.15 pm	Pilgrim Walk with Our Lady
3.00 pm	Concelebrated Mass Sacrament of the Sick
6.30 pm	Evening Meal – Longford Arms Hotel
10.00 pm approx.	Arrive back at St Peter's

Cost: €50.00 per person (includes coach, morning coffee & evening meal)

Bookings now being taken at the Parish Office Monday – Friday from 10.00am – 12.00pm

Sunday

21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

St Pius X, pope, is not celebrated this year

Monday

The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Legion of Mary 7.00pm

Tuesday

St Rose of Lima, virgin

St Eugene (Eoghan), bishop

Wednesday

St Bartholomew, Apostle

Legion of Mary 7.00pm

Thursday

St Louis of France, Patron of French monarchy and military & of barbers

St Joseph Calasanz, priest

Prayer for Vocations directly after Mass

Saturday

St Monica, patron saint of mothers

Sunday

22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

St Augustine, bishop & doctor of the Church, is not celebrated this year

Readings

Eccles (Sir) 3:17-20, 28-29.

Ps 67:4-7, 10-11, R/ cf. v 11.

Heb 12:18-19, 22-24.

Lk 14:1, 7-14.

Weekly Collections

Recent collections amounted to:

Church (14 Aug) = €1,251.18

Share (14 Aug) = € 409.61

Church (15 Aug) = € 381.38

Share (15 Aug) = € 110.44

Thank you very much for your continued support.

Church Gate Collections

Next week's will be in aid of the Ladies of Charity. Founded in 1617 by St Vincent de Paul they seek to help those in need in the local area. Their only source of funding is this monthly collection, every cent of which is greatly appreciated.



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